

Henry-Windsor House
203 Market Street
Warren
Warren County
Pennsylvania

HABS No. PA-5205

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STATE <i>Pennsylvania</i>	COUNTY <i>Warren</i>	TOWN OR VICINITY <i>Warren</i>
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) <i>HENRY-WINDSOR HOUSE (property deed; publication listed below*)</i>		HABS NO. <i>PA-5205</i>
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE <i>NEWMARKER HOUSE</i>		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) <i>205 Market Street Warren Pennsylvania</i>		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) <i>1887 (publication listed below*)</i>	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) <i>not known</i>	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) <i>The house was intended as a gift from builders Francis and Eliza Isabel Henry to their daughter and new son-in-law. But title remained with Eliza Isabel until, after the daughter's divorce, she sold it out of the family. It has been a single-family dwelling, stood vacant, was converted into flats and finally given for Warren Public Library's expansion in 1984.</i>		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) <i>The first floor is Romanesque Revival. Third floor and roof are Queen Anne. The second floor style remains a question.</i>		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) <i>The first floor is of masonry construction with random ashlar granite veneer. The second floor is wood frame with running bond brick veneer. There are shingles and framing on gable ends. The roof is slate.</i>		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) <i>The house is rectangular, 50'x 60'; three stories plus small attic, full basement.</i>		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE <i>There are Palladian arches on the second floor rear porch. The eye is drawn principally to the north-side stone porte-cochere added c1930, and which imparts a cavern-like feeling to the north-side entrance.</i>		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) <i>The small entrance hallway contains a large tile-decorated fireplace and open stair to the second floor. The living room extends along most of the south side, features a fireplace and dark wood paneling. The dining room is small, its panelling painted. The second floor has three bedrooms, two baths, a back enclosed porch. The third floor is two bedrooms, four storage spaces.</i>		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES <i>The enclosed rear second-floor porch was added c1908. The porte-cochere replaced the original double-decker front porches c1930.</i>		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE <i>Fair, with considerable deterioration of concealed eaves, upper masonry veneer, porte-cochere arch. Most interior shutters are gone. The building is vacant, and will be removed in 1984 to allow for an addition to the next-door public library.</i>		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE <i>Documentation for this house was prepared by Warren Library Association in compliance with Executive Order 11593 and a Memorandum of Agreement with the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.</i>		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) <i>* Mallinson, Anne. "The Newmaker House." Historic Buildings in Warren County, Pa., [Vol.3]: Warren, Pa., Warren County Historical Society, January 1974, p.11. (see also attached sheet)</i>		
COMPILER, AFFILIATION <i>Ann Lesser, Director, Warren Library Association</i>		DATE <i>March 1984</i>

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Supplemental Information:

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Sources of Information (cont'd.):

In the Office of the Register and Recorder, Court House, Warren, Pennsylvania,
documents recorded in the following:

Deed Book 60, page 383

Deed Book 81, page 199

Deed Book 87, page 176

In the photograph collections of Warren Public Library, Warren, Pennsylvania,
various views of the Henry-Windsor House and properties adjoining.

In the photograph collections of Warren County Historical Society, Warren,
Pennsylvania, views of property adjoining the Henry-Windsor House.

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